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Szczecin

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the rebuilding of the city of Szczecin is taking place very slowly. Large areas around the harbor still lie in ruins, and many of the factories operating in the harbor area are only partly cleared of debris. Among the harbor people, both officials and harbor workers, there are very few who speak German.

2. 25X1 the wharf area between the Oder-Danzig Canal (sic) and Breslauer Fahrt (sic) is used as a Czechoslovakian free harbor. On the north side of Molln Wiese there is a factory, partly restored and operating, which is guarded by Soviet troops.

3. 25X1 some radio masts he had not noticed before. There were five masts set up in a circle, enclosed by high wire netting. There were no antennae between the masts, but a great many lines from each mast to the ground. The masts were placed between Frauendorfer church and the piers lying southwest of it;

25X1 The masts lay on a range of hills behind buildings which are beside the Oder. The masts were as high as Frauendorfer church.

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Swinoujscie

5. 25X1 In Swinoujscie (Swinemuende) nine Soviet warships were seen moored along a wharf out from Osternothafen in groups of threes. They were about 40 meters long:

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[ ] There were three of this type.

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6. Also seen in the Osternothafen was a large number of motor boats, apparently American type (Elko).
7. In the Winter Harbor [ ] three landing vessels. The Winter Harbor is used by the Poles.
8. At the landing of the east deck-pier a light cannon with a long thin barrel was seen.

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